# Mountain Weather Forecast

## Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Thursday 04 Mar 2021 until 23:59 on Friday 05 Mar 2021

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 03 Mar 2021 at 08:34

**Confidence:** High for mainly dry and generally settled conditions, but Medium confidence for cloud amounts and for possibility of rain Sunday and Monday.

**Headline for Thursday 04 Mar 2021:** Mostly cloudy with low cloud, patchy mist and drizzle in morning, becoming brighter in afternoon, but a few showers.

**Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 04 Mar 2021**

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|---|---|---|
| **Blizzards**<br>No Likelihood | **Heavy Snow**<br>No Likelihood | **Storm force winds**<br>No Likelihood |
| **Gales**<br>No Likelihood | **Severe chill effect**<br>No Likelihood | **Poor visibility**<br>Medium Likelihood |
| **Thunderstorms**<br>No Likelihood | **Heavy persistent rain**<br>No Likelihood | **Strong sunlight**<br>No Likelihood |

| **Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m** | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Time | | | | | | | |
| 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 |
| FOG | FOG | FOG | FOG | | | | |
| Fog | Fog | Fog | Fog | Dull | Cloudy | Cloudy | Light snow |
| Precipitation probability | | | | | | | |
| 10% | 20% | 20% | 10% | 10% | 20% | 10% | 50% |

**Forecast for Thursday 04 Mar 2021**

**Weather:** Mostly cloudy overnight and into the morning, with areas of low cloud and mist. Cloud lifting and becoming more broken in afternoon, then bright spells, but a few showers too. Thicker cloud in evening will bring greater risk of showers, these wintry over the tops.

**Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m:** 20% in the morning, becoming 70% in the afternoon

**Visibility:** Generally good beneath cloud, though poor in mist and patchy drizzle and poor at height in the morning with extensive cloud down to 300-500m, though more broken and above 600m in afternoon.

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**Forecast for Thursday 04 Mar 2021**

| Height (m) | Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) | | | | | Wind Direction (blowing from) | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **600** | 4/6 N | 6/8 N | 7/10 NE | 7/11 NE | 8/12 NE | 11/16 NE | 12/19 NE | 11/17 E | 13/19 E |
| **300** | 1/3 E | 2/5 N | 4/8 NE | 6/10 NE | 6/11 NE | 8/15 NE | 8/16 NE | 5/11 E | 6/14 E |
| **Valley** | 2/3 NW | 2/4 NW | 3/7 NE | 5/9 NE | 6/11 NE | 7/14 NE | 7/14 E | 4/11 E | 6/14 E |

| Height (m) | Temperature / Feels Like (°C) | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **600** | 3/2 | 3/0 | 2/-1 | 2/-2 | 2/-2 | 2/-3 | 0/-5 | 0/-5 | -0/-5 |
| **300** | 4/4 | 4/3 | 4/2 | 3/1 | 4/1 | 4/1 | 3/-0 | 2/-0 | 2/-1 |
| **Valley** | 5/4 | 5/4 | 4/3 | 4/2 | 5/3 | 5/2 | 4/1 | 3/1 | 3/-0 |
| **Freezing Level*** | 1400m | 1300m | 1100m | 900m | 800m | 700m | 600m | 500m | 500m |

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

**Meteorologist's View**

Feeling rather chilly, but mainly light winds at all heights

**Recent rainfall:** measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

| Recorded at | Last 24 hours: | Last 48 hours: | Last 72 hours: |
|---|---|---|---|
| 15:00 on Wed 03 Mar 2021 | 0.6mm | 0.6mm | 1.2mm |

**Forecast for Friday 05 Mar 2021**

**Weather:** Showers clearing in early hours, with clear spells developing overnight and a frost too. Then a chilly, rather frosty start, with perhaps some fog or freezing fog in valleys, but this will clear in morning then a bright day with sunny spells. Clear spells in evening and frost returning.

**Maximum wind:** East or southeast 5-10 mph, perhaps 15 gust 25mph over the tops in the morning

**Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m:** 70 or 80%

**Visibility:** Good or very good, but occasionally poor at height with sometimes broken cloud down to 600-800m

**Temperature:** **Valleys:** Zero to minus 2 C rising to plus 6 C
**At 600m:** Zero C
**Freezing level:** At most levels at first, but main freezing level around 600m

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